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Subject: MLPAComments: My Input on the Central Coast MPA Packages

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Chairman Phil Isenberg  
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c/o Resources Agency  
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via E-Mail

Dear Chairman Isenberg:

As a California Native that now resides in Florida, protection of the coast and ocean is personally important to me and to my family as we travel and vacation in California yearly. I have been following the MLPA developments in the Central Coast because I value the health of the ocean and want to help make sure it is protected for future generations to use and enjoy.

I urge you and the other members of the MLPA Initiative Blue Ribbon Task Force to support a package of Marine Protected Areas that is truly capable of working as an effective scientific network to restore and protect the full range of ocean life, but does not restrict the rights of all Californian to use and enjoy the area.

I am specifically concerned with the proposed package two, which is used in the training and certification of swift and open water technicians that are responsible in saving the lives of Americans that are caught in life threatening situations.

I feel that if package two is passed, the lives of our fellow citizens would be compromised.

Sincerely,

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